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PLOT FOR ALLEGED BLACK UPRISING IN ARKANSAS REVEALED

NEGROES IN ELAINE SECTION SAID TO HAVE CONFERRED CONSPIRACY TO KILL 21 WHITE PLANTERS FIRST AND THEN BEGIN GENERAL MASSACRE—TODAY WAS DATE SET—WHITE MEN APPARENTLY CONNECTED WITH PROPAGANDA

Elaine, Ark., Oct. 6.—Discovery of what is believed to have been a widespread plot on the part of the organized negroes for the general killing of the whites in this locality, and possibly in other parts of the South, led officials today to tighten up on emergency measures and redouble their efforts to apprehend leaders of the alleged members of the organizations who are still uncaught.

The existence of the supposed conspiracy was brought to light by the committee of seven appointed by civil and military authorities following the race disorders here last week, through the questioning of negro prisoners.

According to committee members, the negro captives readily revealed to them the inner workings of the plan. Today, October 6, the negroes declared was the date set for the uprising. Women were said to have been members of the organization, which, the authorities say, was known as the "Progressive Farmers' and Household Union of America."

Twenty-one white planters in this district, according to the confessions, had been singled out to be killed first. The killing of the 21, it was asserted, was to be followed immediately by a general massacre of whites, after which the negroes were to take the land and till it to suit themselves.

It was said authoritatively that efforts were being made to connect white men with the propaganda to arouse negroes and incite them to killing the white residents.

300 SOLDIERS TODAY SEEK ALLEGED LEADERS OF NEGRO INSURGENTS IN CANEBRAKES

Helena, Ark., Oct. 6.—In an effort to capture Ed Ware, alleged ringleader, and a band of 20 other insurgent negroes believed to be still at large following last week's disorders, 300 soldiers at daylight today were thrown out in a cordon encircling an area of approximately 35 square miles in southern Phillips county.

The troops are headed by native guides and will comb thoroughly the lowland canebreaks bordering the Mississippi in the neighborhood west of Wash. Lakeview and Onida, according to a telephone message this morning from military headquarters at Elaine, 15 miles south of this city.

Sam Wilson, a negro suspected of the killing last Tuesday of Corporal Luther Earle, Fourth Infantry, was captured at Snow Lake, 40 miles south, Sunday afternoon, and brought to Elaine last night, the message added, and one prisoner was shot down attempting to escape.

The local sheriff's office reported the killing of a negro in West Helena last night when he resisted arrest as a prospective witness, following a gambling raid.

The officials declared it had not been established that the man was connected with the uprising, but cotton-picking tickets found in his pockets are to be investigated. The tickets showed they were issued at Trenton, 15 miles west of Helena. The victim was said to have come from Elaine, Friday, and to have been armed when shot.

A detachment of troops went to Ferguson yesterday afternoon, the military stated, and brought back a large number of shotguns and other small arms, considered useless, which were found in negro houses. Ferguson is said to be a town without a white inhabitant. Most of the arms taken being worn out weapons, the returning soldiers were of the impression that the blacks had no high-powered rifles and pistols, previously reported as in their possession.

Members of the "committee of seven," the civilian investigators, today expressed high hopes for the coming process started in the south country at daybreak. It has been reported that many armed blacks have filtered through the woods from Elaine, and committee members believe among them are Robert Hill, "government agent" of the negro union, and two other alleged leaders, Ed Ware and Jim Miller.

E. M. Allen, president of the Business Men's League of Helena and a member of the "committee of seven," announced today that the committee is "very anxious to reassure negroes in the quiet sections of the county so they may be no danger of an exodus." Negroes are returning to work in and around Elaine every day, Mr. Allen said.

Following the disclosure yesterday of an exploded plot by the blacks to launch a general slaughter of the white population in the county today, it was stated that the men listed as first to be shot down in the uprising were prominent plantation owners along the Memphis, Helena & Louisiana railroad. Committee of seven.

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CINCINNATI AGAIN WALLOPS CHICAGO; SCORE IS 5 TO 0

Comiskey Park, Chicago, Oct. 6.—Cincinnati won the fifth game of the world's series from the Chicago Americans here today by a score of 5 to 0. Ellers pitching for the visitors was almost a perfect exhibition of twirling skill. He allowed the American leaguers three hits scattered into as many innings, retired nine of them by the strike-out route, and was himself in the sixth inning that netted Cincinnati 4 runs. In this round he got a double and by base running landed on third. The support accorded him by his teammates was flawless.

On the other hand, Williams, while he allowed but four hits, was slightly wild, his teammates did not support him as well as the Reds supported Ellers, and the visitors succeeded in getting hits off him at an opportune moment. The series now stands: Cincinnati four won, one lost; Chicago, one won, four lost.

The Box Score									
CINCINNATI—AB					RBI				
Rath, 2b					3				
Doubert, 1b					2				
Gron, 3b					3				
Roush, cf					4				
Duncan, lf					2				
Kopf, ss					2				
Neale, rf					4				
Rariden, c					4				
Eller, p					3				
Totals					28				
CHICAGO—AB					RBI				
Liebold, rf					3				
E. Collins, 2b					4				
Weaver, 3b					4				
Jackson, lf					4				
Felsch, cf					3				
Gandil, 1b					3				
Risberg, ss					3				
Schalk, c					2				
Lynn, p					1				
Williams, p					2				
Murphy, p					1				
Mayer, p					0				
Totals					30				

The batteries for today's game are Eller and Rariden for Cincinnati, Williams and Schalk for Chicago.

First Inning, First Half

Rath up. Ball one. Strike one. Jackson played near the left field foul line while Rath was batting. Ball two. Strike two. Ball three. Rath started the game by drawing a pass off Williams. Doubert up. Doubert laid down a sacrifice. Schalk throwing him out at first. Rath easily made second on the play. Gron up. Ball one. Ball two. Gron sent a high fly to Felsch, and Rath held second. Roush up. Gandil up. Gandil going over towards second getting the ball, while Williams hurried over to first and received the toss.

No runs, no hits, no errors.

First Inning, Second Half

Liebold up. The crowd yelled encouragement to the Sox as Liebold came to bat. Ball one. Ball two. Strike one. Foul strike two. Ball three. Liebold started the Sox half by walking to first. Eller's balls were all low and on the outside. Eddie Collins up. Ball one. Ball two. Eller seemed to have trouble getting it over and Doubert came to the box and tried to steady him. Strike one. Eddie Collins was out. Kopf to Doubert, but Liebold made second. The play at first was very close. Liebold hitting Eller's hands, but proving too hot to handle. Liebold dashed to third, and arrived safely. Jackson up. Strike one. Liebold started to warm up for Cincinnati. Foul strike two. Jackson popped up a high one that Gron took care of near third. Liebold held third, and Weaver first. Felsch up. Strike one. Felsch sent a high fly that Duncan captured.

No runs, one hit, no errors.

Second Inning, First Half

Duncan up. Eller seemed a bit wild but pitched himself out of what appeared to be a bad hole. Strike one. Strike two. Ball one. Ball two. Duncan fanned, taking a terrific swing and missing his final strike. Kopf up. Strike one. Ball one. Felsch and Jackson were playing over toward the left for Kopf. Foul strike two. Schalk backed up and made an easy put-out on Kopf's high foul. Neale up. Strike one. Ball one. Strike two. Neale fanned. Williams had his underhand ball working fine, keeping his shots around the players' knees.

No runs, no hits, no errors.

Second Inning, Second Half

Gandil up. Strike one. Gandil took a swing at the first one but missed. Ball one. Strike two. Foul. Ball two. Gandil took three healthy swings at the ball but only connected with the atmosphere. Risberg up. Ball one. Ball two. Strike one. Ball three. Strike two. Risberg also fanned, going out on a called strike. Schalk up. Strike one. Ball one. Foul strike two. Ball two. Schalk fanned. Eller had perfect control of his fast ball and retired the side by striking out Gandil, Risberg and Schalk.

No runs, no hits, no errors.

Third Inning, First Half

Rariden up. Strike one. Ball one. Gandil took Rariden's grounder in back of first and beat him to the bag. Eller received a big ovation when he took his place in the batter's box. Foul strike one. Eller sent one straight into the air that Weaver came over to the plate and captured. Rath up. Strike one. Ball one. Strike two. Rath popped an easy foul to Gandil. Williams also seemed to be working in mid-season form.

No runs, no hits, no errors.

Third Inning, Second Half

Williams up. Ball one. A record for world's series play was made in the second inning when the catchers made all of the put-outs. Strike one. Ball two. Strike two. Williams struck out, the last strike being called on him. Liebold up. Strike one. Foul strike two. Liebold fanned. Eller continued his good work and neither Williams nor Liebold could connect with him. Eddie Collins up. Ball one. Ball two. Ball three. Strike one. Strike two, Collins fanned. Eller duplicated his feat of the (Continued on page 2)

WHEN MOBS SPREAD DEATH AND RUIN IN OMAHA



Red Cross workers standing before their offices in new county courthouse destroyed by fire; youth, on horseback said to be relative of girl assaulted, and Mayor Edward P. Smith.

Omaha has been on a martial law since race riots broke out in that city Sept. 28. The riots followed the assaulting of Agnes Loebach by a negro. A mob razed the courthouse to get the

sheriff's force and prisoner from the jail on the upper floor. The courthouse, a new structure, was totally destroyed. The negro was murdered by the mob. Several persons were killed and injured.

When Mayor Smith attempted to halt them they placed a rope around his neck and were "strangling him up" when police rescued him. Then the mob set fire to the courthouse to drive out

STRIKE SETTLEMENT IN ENGLAND SATISFACTORY TO RAIL UNION CHIEFS

London, Oct. 6.—Leaders of the National Union of Railwaymen who directed the great rail strike, which was settled yesterday, declare their satisfaction with the arrangement. In messages to the Herald, organ of union labor, "The men stood four-square, determined to secure victory or go down together," declared J. H. Thomas, secretary of the union and leader of the strike. "The settlement brings home great gains."

He appeals to railway men to consolidate their organization and make their force stronger than ever, so as to "gain for all members a higher standard of life."

J. Bromley, secretary of the Society of Firemen and Engineers, asserts: "The settlement is highly satisfactory. There is greater value in it than appears at first sight."

With the exception of the locomotive engineers, the railroad brotherhoods will be represented by their chiefs. H. E. Willis, of the engineers' legislative committee, will be present in the place of President Warren S. Stone.

Besides Mr. Shea, those participating in the conference were President Shepherson of the conductors, President Lee of the trainmen, President Johnson of the machinists, President Noonan of the electrical workers, President Forrester of the railway clerks, President Marston of the telegraphers, Mr. Wills and Mr. Jewell.

The American Federation of Labor delegates to the conference also were in session this forenoon to discuss procedure in the meeting. Thirteen of 15 named by President Gompers were present. Those absent were Frank Duff and John L. Lewis of Indianapolis, who have declined to serve. Mr. Gompers announced that he probably would name their successors today.

Appointment of Miss Lillian Wald of New York in place of Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, who telegraphed that other engagements prevented her attendance, was announced by Secretary Wilson. Miss Wald will be one of the delegates representing the public.

Ship Embargo Partly Lifted

Washington, Oct. 6.—The embargo against the sailing of shipping board vessels to Great Britain was partially lifted today by the shipping board as a result of the ending of the railroad strike there.

54 KILLED IN TRAIN DERAILMENT IN MEXICO

Mexico City, Oct. 6.—Fifty-four persons are known to have been killed in the derailment of a train running from Laredo to Mexico City today. It is believed the death toll will reach 75 or more. All the dead were among the second-class passengers. The casualties among the first-class passengers were limited to more or less serious injuries. The train was derailed between Venegas and Saltillo.

MANY ENGLISH WOMEN ARE GETTING CIGARETTE HABIT

London, Sept. 30.—Correspondence of the Associated Press.—Cigarette smoking is on the increase in England, especially among the women, according to experts. One estimate places the demand for cigarettes at twice what it was before the war.

"Women smoke a good deal more than formerly," said one tobacco man, "and some of them can't even hang out the washing unless they have a cigarette in their mouths."

SENATOR REED PRAISES COURAGE OF ARDMORE WOMEN IN A SPEECH

Denver, Colo., Saturday, Oct. 4.—Senator Reed of Missouri, speaking here tonight, read from the earlier writing of Woodrow Wilson and presented a mass of statistical and quoted matter in support of his argument against the league of nations covenant of the peace treaty. Senator Reed held his audience closely and was greeted with generous applause, despite one or two abortive attempts at heckling which were soon suppressed.

Referring to the Ardmore, Okla., incident, he said: "I never voted for suffrage, but at that meeting, when one thousand women sat quiet when the lights were cut, I about came to the conclusion that they were good enough to vote."

The speaker paid personal tribute to President Wilson and expressed an earnest wish for his early recovery.

Senator Reed has canceled further speaking dates and will return at once to Washington.

GEORGIA MOB HANGS AND BURNS 2 NEGROES AND POSSE KILLS ONE

Lincoln, Ga., Oct. 6.—Jack Gordon and Will Brown, negroes, were lynched by a mob here early today and their bodies were burned. The victims of the mob were charged with shooting Deputy Sheriff Roy Freeman and Bayne Fortson here late Saturday. Freeman is not expected to live.

Mose Martin, another negro, was killed by a posse late yesterday during the hunt for Gordon and several other blacks were whipped for refusing to give information as to Gordon's whereabouts.

The lynching occurred about 4 o'clock this morning after Gordon had been taken from the custody of Sheriff Kelly of Wilkes county by a mob said to number approximately 1,000 persons.

The other negro, Brown, was being held by a mob awaiting the arrival of Gordon. The two were strung up on the outskirts of the town, and after their bodies were riddled with bullets they were cut down and placed on a pile of burning pine wood.

Negro Hunted in South Carolina. Greenville, S. C., Oct. 6.—Joe Turner, the negro who is said to have shot and killed Policemen Ketchen and Blair yesterday while the latter were raiding a card game in a negro section of the city, still was being sought by posses in the lower section of the county today. Quiet prevailed this morning and no trouble between the races was anticipated.

PAN-AMERICAN UNION HEAD IS NOT GOING TO RESIGN

Washington, Oct. 6.—John Barrett, director-general of the Pan-American Union gave the following statement today to the Associated Press: "Upon returning to Washington today from an extended trip south and west, holding conferences on Pan-American trade matters, John Barrett, director general of the Pan-American Union, stated that the recent announcement credited to him from New Orleans that he was about to resign from the Pan-American Union was premature and unauthorized by him."

ALL RAIL UNIONS TO TAKE PART IN GREAT INDUSTRIAL CONGRESS

Washington, Oct. 6.—Representatives of all the railroad workers' unions, including the four big brotherhoods, will participate in the industrial conference which begins here this afternoon. Timothy Shea of the firemen announced at a conference of the union heads.

The railroad men accepted the compromise proposal of President Wilson that the four brotherhoods have one delegate each and the 14 unions affiliated with the American Federation of Labor be represented through the federation's delegates. Bert M. Jewell, acting president of the railway employees' department of the federation, will participate as a delegate for the public.

GREAT "YOU-AND-I" LABOR AND CAPITAL CONFERENCE OPENS THIS AFTERNOON

Washington, Oct. 6.—Interest in the nation's industrial situation, brought to a point regarded as critical because of increasing controversies between capital and organized labor, centered here today where representatives of elements in national life—capital, labor and the public—were to sit in conference. Their aim, as expressed in the words of President Wilson when he issued the call for the meeting, will be "to arrive at some common ground of agreement and action with regard to the future conduct of industry."

The conference, which will be held in the Pan-American building, will be opened at 2:30 o'clock. Secretary of Labor W. B. Wilson, acting for President Wilson, will call the meeting to order.

Who the permanent chairman will be has not been settled, but Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane, one of the first to suggest such a conference, was among those mentioned.

Warm Off the Wire

Paris, Oct. 6.—All German prisoners still detained in France will be repatriated directly after the ratification of the peace treaty, according to information received from Berlin.

Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 6.—Through the will of J. Thomas, wealthy layman of Dallas, Texas, who died recently, the Baptist \$750,000 campaign received \$100,000 from the Thomas estate, it is announced here by Dr. L. R. Scarborough, general director of the campaign.

St. Louis, Oct. 6.—Although two balloon crews in the national championship race have been missing for four days and a half, anxiety over their fate was lessened considerably last night when it was learned that the pilot and aid of a third balloon reported missing, had landed Thursday and spent three days penetrating the unsettled Parry Sound region of Ontario. The two remaining craft to be heard from are the St. Louis V., and the Wichita, Kan., entry.

New Townsite Manager Arrives. Jukeham, Texas, Oct. 4.—R. B. Quinn of Norman, Okla., one of the most widely known townsite men and a newspaper man of many years experience in Oklahoma and Texas, has arrived here to take charge of the townsite office for Jake L. Hamon, J. H. Langston, who opened the townsite, will go to another townsite to be opened in Stephens county.

2,000 Coal Miners Strike. Johnstown, Pa., Oct. 6.—Two thousand miners employed in 26 independent coal mines of this district went on strike today. The strike is said to have been called because the majority of the mine operators refused to sign the union scale.

MR. WILSON STILL IMPROVES; DOCTOR STILL SAYS "REST"

Washington, Oct. 6.—President Wilson continues to improve and passed a satisfactory night, said a bulletin issued at 11 a. m. today and signed by Rear Admiral Grayson, the president's of the naval medical school here, and Dr. Sterling Ruffin, of this city. The bulletin follows:

"White House, Oct. 6, 1919, 11 a. m. 'The improvement in the president's condition noted yesterday has continued. He had a satisfactory night. (Signed) 'GRAYSON, 'RUFFIN, 'STITT.'"

This is the first time Dr. Stitt and Ruffin, who have been assisting Dr. Grayson, have signed a bulletin. It was issued after a consultation between the doctors.

Amplifying the bulletin, Dr. Grayson said there was a slight improvement in the president's condition and that he again insisted upon attending to public matters, which he considered pressing. The president particularly desired to write a message to the industrial conference to be read at the opening session today.

Dr. Grayson said he was not yet ready for the president to do any work and would continue to insist that he have absolute quiet and rest and keep his mind away from official matters. The physician fears that any excessive activity on the part of the president might cause a reaction.

While a spirit of optimism pervades the White House today because of the continued improvement in the president's condition, Dr. Grayson said he did not want to be too optimistic and would continue to watch his patient carefully.

While President Wilson's condition steadily is improving, his physicians made it clear today that they did not intend to relax at once their treatment of absolute rest.

Those attending the president are much encouraged at his improvement and feel it is likely to mean that he is definitely on the way to recovery, but they care to take no chances of a setback.

Mr. Wilson was described today as chafing somewhat because he was not permitted to give any attention to official matters, but Rear Admiral Grayson said that on the whole he was proving a good patient. He wanted to prepare a statement for the industrial and labor conference opening here today, but his physician would not agree to it.

Callers at the White House today included Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, administration leader in the senate treaty fight, who told Secretary Taft today to assure the president he need not worry over the treaty.

Senator Hitchcock said it was not expected that there would be any development in connection with the treaty fight, requiring the president's attention for two or three weeks. He expressed the hope, however, that he would be able to confer with the president within a fortnight, when consideration of reservations is expected to be begun by the senate.

Vienna Papers Comment

Vienna, Sunday, Oct. 6.—Vienna newspapers contained today, for the first time, editorial comment on the illness of President Wilson. The Volksblatt says:

"The spirit of the Master walked through the world, but he from whom we hoped for salvation did not see him, nor did he grasp his mantle. He now is stretched on his bed where he has ample time to reflect on his last opportunities."

Recounting the sacrifices made by America on entering the war, the Neue Freie Presse comments on Mr. Wilson's high ideals at the beginning and his subsequent actions. It then says if his illness forces him to abandon office "it will be an important political event, because it would then become doubtful if the peace treaty, with the League of Nations would be ratified by the senate."

Speculating on world politics as they would develop in such an event, the newspaper predicts:

"The whole peace of Versailles would totter. The peace is as sick as Mr. Wilson."

CROWDS GATHER IN ATLANTA TO ATTEND ANNUAL REUNION OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 6.—Incoming trains today continued to bring their hundreds to swell the crowds gathering here for the annual reunion of the United Confederate Veterans, which will be launched tomorrow.

Arrangements for housing and caring for the visiting veterans have been completed. A tent city has been pitched in Piedmont Park, where accommodations have been provided for 10,000 old soldiers. E. A. Pickens, who has been in charge of the cooking at the last five reunions, will have charge of feeding the veterans.

Decorations for the reunion are the gayest in the history of the city. Eighty-five blocks of city streets are trimmed with flags and bunting, the stars and bars of the old Confederate flag being liberally mixed with the stars and stripes.

A welcome to the visiting veterans, sons, daughters and other organizations will be extended formally at a meeting Tuesday afternoon under the auspices of the Confederate States Memorial Association. The first of the veterans' meetings will be held Wednesday, when the formal welcome will be presented and the convention turned over to Gen. K. M. Van Zandt of Fort Worth, Texas, commander-in-chief of the veterans.

Johnstown, Pa., Oct. 6.—Two thousand miners employed in 26 independent coal mines of this district went on strike today. The strike is said to have been called because the majority of the mine operators refused to sign the union scale.

At Waukegan, Ill., additional deputies were put on duty early today, where officials of the American Steel and Wire Company announced that hundreds of men would return to work.

MC CUMBER DECLARES 6-TO-1 BRITISH VOTE TALK IS DECEPTION

REPUBLICAN SENATOR SAYS ANTI-LEAGUE MEMBERS ARE TAKING ADVANTAGE OF PREJUDICE AGAINST ENGLAND TO MAKE CAPITAL FOR THEIR SIDE—ONLY THINGS SUBMITTED TO COUNCIL OR ASSEMBLY ARE RIGHT TO INVESTIGATE AND REPORT.

Washington, Oct. 6.—Denying that Great Britain and her colonies would have six votes in the League of Nations to one for the United States, Senator McCumber, republican, North Dakota, charged in the senate today that senators advocating the amendment by Senator Johnson, republican, California, proposing to limit the voting power of the British colonies, were fanning popular prejudice with an unfounded appeal.

"Senators who in private conversation would never dream of attempting to deceive one another," said Senator McCumber, "seem unable to resist the temptation to take advantage of a prejudice created by this deception, and, with studied avoidance of the real and full truth, give this prejudice another boost."